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72ND YEAR.

GIANT LINER DUE

IN CAPES TODAY;

and Starts for Newport

News Yards.

SHIP'S ENGINES BEHAVE

PERFECTLY ON VOYAGE

Captain of Va. Pilots' Associa-

tion Guides Queen of

Sea to Port.

of Courtesies From

Craft.

1By Associated Press.1

NEW YORK, April 9 .- Leviathan

oce the pride of the German mer

chant marine, later a transport that

from European battlefields,

the giant vessel had left her pler at

Association.

the Hyndam, of the Holland-

"The Star-Spangled Banner,"

SHOT DOWN BY WIFE

By Associated Press.1

I do restaurants and one in Indian-

Is wounded by his wife here tonight

tioned another woman.

after arriving at a hospital.

IBy Associated Press.

condition was said to be serious.

he occupied. His ticket indicated he

for several weeks. He was discover-

ered unconscious by a Pullman por-

Seek Consulate at Cork.

the Cork Chamber of Commerce has

decided to apply to official quarters

in Ireland and Washington for a

PHYSICIAN, DRUG

colls, was shot and probably mortal-

The woman walked into one of

Red Hair and Big Ears Asset to Radio Expert

NEW YORK, April 9.—Red hair and large ears, instead of being a DELAYED BY FOG drawback, are an asset—that is, if oung men thus equipped desire become wireless operators. This was made known today in connection with a call for 150 to attend a naval militia radio school, Leviathan Weighs Anchor when naval recruiting officers said applicants so qualified were esecially desired.

was said, while ample ears aid in the instruments. school, open to civillans, starts tomorrow night aboard the United States thip Illinois, training ship for the first battalion naval mili-

3 SLAIN WITH AX BY CRAZED FATHER WHISTLES OPEN IN SALUTE

Helpless Daughter Sees Parent Brain Little Brothers and Sisters.

orried thousands of doughboys to BLOWS OFF OWN HEAD

hight was plowing the Atlantic bound for Newport News, Va., to be onverted into a palatial American Wife and Another Child Escape Unhurt and Spread Fog interfered with the sailing middle. Within two hours after Alarm.

He lesken, where she had been idle fo years, her skipper Captain W. J. Bernard, was forced CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 9 .- Ruby Lee Helms, 13-year-old girl, horror Ambrose Channel. It was nearly stricken and helpless, early today saw her father, John Helms, 40, slay y to allow her to proceed souththree of her little brothers and sisters in succession with an ax, and ceremony. On account of the top of his own head with a shot comparatively few gun, according to the story she, the only witness to the killings, told Cor-

majestically through the oner Frank Hovis. The quadruple tragedy occurred at craft opened their whistles in the home of Helms. tenant house on the farm of Robert engines behaved Rice, Eleven miles east of Charlotte, She carried a crew of

Coroner Hovis said the evidence indicated that Helms had become stiddenly insane, probably as a result of continued hy health and deeply depressed when talking with a brother a day or two ago about his hopeless condition. According to little Ruby Lee Helms

was walking about in the yard ith the nine-month-old baby, Hazeher mother prepared treakfast, when her father The Hyndam's passengers proached with an ax, and with the handle knocked the baby from her slaced the muzzle against his cheek, reached down and pressed the trig-

Mrs. Helms and another child, in addition to Ruby Lee, escaped with-out injury, and gave the alarm.

IN OWN RESTAURANT INDEPENDENCE FOR TOLEDO, OHIO, April 9 John H. caper, Sa. proprietor of three To-CANADA ADVOCATED

Member of Parliament Wants to Sever Connection With Mother Country.

[By Associated Press]
MONTREAL, April 9.—Independence "Tepper's cating places, which was filled with diners, fired one shot and or Canada was advocated by W. F arroll, member of Parliament for walked out. She was arested shortape Breton and Richmond, in an ad-ress yesterday before the Reform epper and his wife had been separated for more than a year, follow-ing the filing of divorce proceedings lub, in which he contended Canada as not a nation, although enjoying by Mrs. Tepper, in which she menolitical and religious freedom. After eclaring that nationhood would de-According to the police. Tepper was seated at a table with a woman

"I am talking with a view to in companion and Mrs. Tepper and another woman were at a nearby table. lependence, or with a view to sever-Tepper left his seat to answer the ng our connection with the mother telephone, police say, when his wife

relop greater statesmen, Mr. Carroll

stopped behind him and fired a re-Asserting that Canada is not a na The bullet lodged near ion, the speaker said: "The quicker we undeceive ourselves the sooner we will become better Canadians. Tepper's heart and he died shortly "We are a dependency of the British crown," he added. "Nation-VICTIM. IN HOSPITAL not a nation, look at the Privy Coun-Not a bill becomes a law until NEW YORK, April 9,-Dr. William it is sanctioned by the King in the

Hicks, 50, of Newark, N. J., widely person of the Governor-General," known alienist, today was removed from a thain at the Pennsylvania Sta- ASK GOVERNOR TO tion to Bellevue Hospital, suffering from an overdose of drugs, according to physicians who examined him. His INVESTIGATE DEATH

View Residents Not Satisfied Police were mystifled by the case, With Inquiry Into Mrs.

Mercer's Denta.

[By Associated Press.] finding no trace of drugs in the physician's clothing or about the berth

NORFOLK, VA., April 9.-A tele-gram has been sent to Governor E. boarded the train at Cincinnati, but at his home it was said he had been in Trinkle, on "behalf of residents the South and was not expected home of Ocean View, asking him to assign experienced detectives to investi-gate the death of Mrs. Ruth Mercer, whose body was washed ashore last Sunday morning at Ocean View.

Allegations that the investigation of the young woman's death has not been efficiently conducted were made CORK, April 9.—Owing to the enormous increase in the volume of the cargo and passenger traffic bein the telegram tween Cork and the United States.

Edward Mercer, husband of the woman, and Frank McEntee, who known to have been with Mrs. Mer-cer the day before the body was found, are under arrest, but both have transfer of the American consulate advanced alibis.

from Queenstown to Cork. ous Wild West Rider Killed. SAN FRANCISCO. April 9 .- The VALENTINE, NEB., April 9.-Adam third trial of Roscee Arbuckle on a Marshall, reputed to be the world's charge of manslaughter is scheduled to enter its closing week tomorrow. was killed here yesterday when he Corridor speculation, strengthened fell under a Northwestern train. He by the opinions of opposing counsel is believed to have been beating his sets the final arguments for Wed- of Turkish dead were seen. One of mort in New York newspapers, of nesday or Thursday,

COAL PRODUCTION GENOA CONFERENCE DROPS TO LOWEST OPENS TODAY WITH LEVEL ON RECORD INITIAL SPEECHES

Preliminary Meeting to

Discuss Procedure.

FIVE DELEGATES EACH

FOR LARGER COUNTRIES

and Barthou, of France.

to Make Addresses.

Washington Advised on

Proceedings.

1By Associated Press 1

GENOA, April 9 .- Premier Lloyd

George and Sir Laming Worthington-

Evans, for England; Louis Barthou

Baron Hayashi and Viscount Ishii.

Jaspar, for Belgium, and Premier

day to discuss the procedure of the

The attitude of the allies in

leading questions has been decided.

Germany and Russia, owing to their

large population, size and political

mportance. All other countries are

lunugural Speeches.

Inaugural speeches will be de

vered by Premier Facta, in Italian

and M. Barthou, in French. The al

lied leaders' would like to limit the

number of speeches, so as to make

has not been definitely decided

ng to the representatives of three

The opening meeting will conclude

ommissions-one for verification of

credentials, one for the Russian and

one each on finance, economic ques-

divergence of opinion as to how the

the allies desire that only England

shall be represented, as thereby they

Baltic entente and the little entente

powers are all dissatisfied with this

tions with Russia are more impor-

tant than those of some of the allied

ties already concluded with the Sc

Recognition of Bussia

The recognition of Russia is a dom-

inant question in the Genoa confer

ence, and will probably be the first

subject taken under consideration.

All discusions will begin and end

nhabitants and territory comprising

ace, overshadow the smaller states

(Continued on Page 2, Col. 3.)

Was Former Kalser's War Ministe

and Chief of

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, April 9 .- General Eric

on Falkenhayn, former Minister of

War and one time chief of staff of

General von Falkenhayn was an

913, succeeding General von Her

ingen. Shortly after the outbreak

chief of the general staff, succeeding General von Moltke, who at the time

In August, 1916, Von Falkenhave

and shortly afterward took the field

n Transylvania against the Ruma-

nians. It was said at the time of his

of staff that he had been removed

lorten all the German lines,

SUSPECT FOUL PLAY

[By Associated Press.] FAIRFAX, ALA., April 9.-

of the town early today. His skull was crushed and officials advanced the theory that he had been attacked

and then robbed. A coroner's jury

\$80,000 Gem Theft Revealed.

NEW YORK, April 9 .- Details o

recent alleged theft of diamonds

valued at \$80,000, when the owner

collapsed and lost consciousness in a

sering \$45,000 Coward for their return. ter the shooting.

subway station were revealed tonigh

s investigating the case

urging Emperor William t

IN ALABAMA DEATH

was declared to be ill.

the world war, he was appointed

pointed War Minister of Germany

the German army, died Saturday at

VON FALKENHAYN IS

let government,

untries, owing to the frontier trea-

suggestion, as they claim their rela

to have only two delegates.

conomic conference.

Bituminous Field Falls to Five Allied Powers Hold 3,500,000 Tons During First Strike Week.

WORK IN ANTHRACITE FIELDS AT STANDSTILL

Sixty Per Cent of Bituminous Lloyd George, Premier Facta, Tonnage of Nation Closed Down.

Consumers, However, Show No Anx- Ambassador Child Arrives to Keep lety as to Fuel Sup-

[By Associated Press.] WASHINGTON, April 9 -- Produc on of bituminous coal in the United tates dropped to 3,500,000 tons, the modern coal history" while work in the anthracite fields and Camille Barrere, ceased entirely," during the first veek of the coal strike, according o a review of the industry issued tolay by the United States Geological

dicated that from 60 to 64 per cent bituminous tonnage of the country has been closed down by the while of the remainder "a significant portion has not been operated recently for lack of demand." Ir the first week of the 1919 strike, the ious fields were closed, but "the anbracite mines operated at capacity. Yaking April 3, as the first rea

test of the effect of the strike, the survey noted that coal loadings ag gregated 11,445 cars against 38,056 cars on the same day of the preceding week, 'This week, this total was ontinued without substantial change brough the next five days, fixing an timated production for the week o 500,000 tons.

Production of bituminous increased lmost to the last shaft before the strike call, but because of the deon the last day of the week Saturday, April 1, the aggregate production of 10,453,000 tons was slight-

under that of the preceding week Heavy production also marked the st five working days in the anthra the fields, according to the survey 16,255 cars being loaded.

Under 4,000,000 Tons. Bituminous coal production during the first week of the coal strike was estimated at "slightly under 4,000,000 tion, which declared that, while this Russian commission shall be formed to find a market for their coal."

Thousands of cars of coal are standing on the mine sidings awaiting billing orders," said a statement the association tonight Reports from nonunion fields state that production is running at various rates from 40 per cent to 70 per cent, or 80 per cent of normal. In union fields, the factor limiting production is, in general, the strike, but in the nonunion fields the limiting factor is described as continued of orders.

The "f. o. b. spot" price for bitumi-(Continued on Page 2, Col. 6.)

RICHMONDERS SEEK COOL PARK BREEZES AS MERCURY HITS 84

Temperature Is 20 Degrees in Excess of Normal for Day.

Time for screens. Flies and mosquitoes and straw hats are on the way. While normal temperature for this time of year is 55 degrees, the mercury reached \$4 last night, and hood implies the right to make treatles and settle our own difficules. If you want proof that we are ing to the Chimborazo weather sharp, was 75.

At 3 o'clock vesterday afternoon when thousands were speeding along the country roads and lanes catch ing a cooling breeze, the mercury an up to 82, and by 8 o'clock las night it hit the \$4 notch. This, acexcess in temperature of 20 degree.

As a result of this summertim emperature yesterday, the parks and suburban resorts were crowded with sweltering humanity. The cool spots Byrd and Chimborazo Parks were all pre-empted during the afternoo and late into the evening, and the waiting line was long. All the smaller parks bore their burdens of humanity looking for relief. There was some breeze, and it carried a los of dust along with it.

The relative humidity yesteriay a 8 A. M. was 73; at 1 P. M. it was 57 and at 8 P. M. it was 54.

Serious Fighting in Asia Minor. ATHENS, April 9 .- Serious fighting occurred between Greek and Asia Minor, in spite of the effort of the allied powers to bring about a truce there. During the fighting two Greek soldiers were killed and fourteen were wounded, and an of ficial report states that in front of when Leo E. Sherman, of Newark, the Greek positions a large number N. J., inserted a classified advertise

the dead Turks was an officer.

One Killed, Three Shot,

ounded today in what the po-e declared was the outbreak of ostilities between rival gangs of ootleggers and gamblers. The shooting took place in a crowded saloon, when four men alighted from an automobile on the West Side and walked into the place with drawn revolvers. With

out a word, they opened fire.

Among those sought in connec tion with the shooting is "Sailo

RAID 40 SALOONS; ARREST 26 MEN

THOUSANDS OF CARS IDLE RUSSIA IS DOMINANT ISSUE Dry Agents, Disguised as Mo- HAVE HOPES OF AMENDMENT tor Tourists, Get Drinks Easily.

\$30,000 LIQUOR SEIZED

New York Bartender "Falls for" Coach Drivers in High Hats.

[By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, April 5.- Disguised as purists, their motor car covered with Committee. ud and dirt and their faces smeared with dust, Izzy Einstein and Moe prohibition agents, today raided would ignore "the basic naval pol nearly twoscore cafes, arresting by" set down by the arms confer twenty-six proprietors and employes ence, the minority report and seized liquor valued by them asserting that an enlisted personnel

It was the first Sabbath liquor sleuths. epresented in the list of prisoners ho were rounded up after several

The biggest haul was made in former saloon at 335 Amsterdam

Talk Against Prohibition. izzy and Moe breezed into the ace this morning.

'Did you enjoy that speech last ight?" asked Izzy of Moe as they ittoroached the bar. "I dld not," replied Moc. disgust-"there was too much prohibiwhether they can confine the speak.

"What will you have, boys?" asked

with the appointment of several a glass and the two agents poured it into test tubes which they carried in helr vest pockets. The stunned, then was placed under ar

A search of the place, Einstein said, evealed fifty-five cases of cham-agne and other imported wines. several cases of gin and whisky and ores of bottles of assorted liquors. Before proceeding to the Bronx Einstein and Smith changed their disguises, assuming that of coach drive this country in that very position." was very much a materialist, ers, high hats and all.

like these Si als." complained Izzy as they walked sentatives Tinkham, Massachusetts; ful detective." "Neither do L" replied Moc.

The bartender who served them Massachusetts, Democrat. ith liquor agreed with them, saying, 'I'd like to go to the Polo Grounds this afternoon, but the boss won't et me off.

"Sure he will," replied fuzy, "come along with me." And he flashed his shield. A summons was left for the

They had no difficulty, the agents said, in getting liquor except in on-place, where the bartender, who wa erving near-beer, told them to "bea DEAD NEAR POTSDAM " and picked up an empty bottle zzy and Moe walked out, satisfied they said, that there was no chance getting anything "on the bar tender," today, "But we may go back," Moe said.

The average price of a drink, Einstein said, was 50 cents. "And it is terrible stuff, worse than furniture

POLICE THINK THEY HAVE LANDED CROOKS

Pair Arrested in Cleveland May Be Associated With Bank Theft. [By Associated Press.] CLEVELAND, OHIO, April 9.

leveland police are working on the vas supplanted by Von Hindenburg heory that a man and woman arrested in a downtown hotel here yesterday with jewelry and a complete removal from the position of chief four men arrested in Boston in con-of staff that he had been removed nection with a \$50,000 safe robbery burglar outfit, are associated with his mother. at Aurora, III. The name of one of the Eastern prisoners, George Koes-tle, head of the local Bertilon buabandon the Balkan campaign and eau, said today, is the lias of the woman's husband. Among the woman's effects were

Paylor, 45, a photographer, was found dead on a street near the outskirts

[By Associated Press.] KNOXVILLE, TENN., April 9. Bird Daugherty, Anderson County leputy sheriff, and his two sons, Wilam and Fisher Daugherty, were ternoon.

MINORITY REPORT SHARPLY ASSAILS NEW NAVAL BILL

Asserts Measure Ignores Basic Policy Set Down by Conference.

IS ATTEMPT TO WRECK AMERICAN SEA POWER

Reductions as Proposed Would Make U. S. Third-

Canvass Indicates Congress Will Vote for Personnel of 50,000. [By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, April 9 .- The pro sosal of the House Appropriations 00 men and 6,356 officers, was vigor ously attacked today in a minority oport signed by five Republicans and one Democrat, and in statements is sued by Representatives Britten, Illi nois, and McArthur, Oregon, Republican members of the House Navat SINCERE BELIEVER NOW

A reduction of the naval force of the United States to the extent New York's most versatile recommended by the committee of 80,000, with 6,000 apprentices necessary to keep the ever made here by Federal United States abreast with Great hs. Seven nationalities were Britain and ahead of Japan.

Representative Britten said if the bill "had been framed by British and Japanese delegates" with the intenon of wrecking the American navy "they could not have more deliberated; reduced the United States to a third-rate power," while Representative McArthur said a canvass he had made gave him hopes of the adoption of an amendment providing for 80.

For the first time in its history. said the minority report filed by six mittee, "this country has adopted a naval policy. It means equality with the strongest. If that policy is now "A little hooteh," brazenly replied disregarded by adoption of the navy we will sink to the rank of a periority of the American navy was the controlling factor in the negolations of the recent conference. Had Britain or Japan in naval strength, they would have been denounced as traitors—not a single vote of the Senate would have been recorded in its reau of Investigation of the Depart favor-yet this bill proposes to place

> Vare, Pennsylvania; Wason, New "I Hampshire; Magee and Husted, New

in relation to Great Britain and to be a spiritual world, in which Japan," the report said. 'This is the leaders of thought are going to laugh (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1.)

PHILLIP SPOTSWOOD ACCIDENTALLY SHOT WHILE AFTER HAWK

Superintendent of Construction Company Meets Tragic Death in Orange County.

Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ORANGE, VA. April 9.—Phillip
Spotswood, superintendent of the
Waugh Construction Company, Williamson, W. Va., accidentally shot and
killed himself near here this morning while trying to kill a hawk that
had been found preving on chickens
on his father's farm. It is thought
that the gun triggers were thrown
while Spotswood was getting
through a wire tence. The bond entered the side of Spotswood's face,
and death was instantaneous. and death was instantaneous.

Spottswood was spending his vaca-tion with his father, T. P. Spotswood, near Truchine nost-offer. He was a descendant of Alexander Spotswood, once Governor of virginia, Bosides his father, he is survived by his mother, wife, three sisters and three brothers. Funeral arrangements have not been announced

EXECUTED IN EGYPT

Among the woman's effects were letters and telegrams indicating that her husband had had dealings in New York and Brookline, Mass, the police say.

They also said they identified a watch found in her baggage as having been stolen in a church burglary in Ohkosh, Wis., March 30.

Three Killed in Mountain Road.

[By United News.]

CAIRO, April 2.—The first Englishman ever executed in Egypt was hanged here for murder of a Beigian eweler last May. Three Itussians were also hanged for the same offense, The caughter of the murder of the murden was the hangings, remained in the adjacent prison until the last black flag announced that the four prison-trial deep research. [By United News.]

> LONDON, April 9 .- Questions pend ing between Italy and Jugo-Slavia

relative to future status of the city of to death on a mountain road of Zara, on the eastern shore of atheen Petros and New River this the Adriatic, were solved on Satur-Sheriffs of Moran and day at a meeting between Foreign Anderson Countles are searching the Minister Schauzer, of Italy, and Jugocountains for three men who were Slav delegates, says a Genoa discovered beside the dead bodies af patch to the Exchange Telegraph afternoon. Death is believed to have stated that all the men involved been due to heart disease.

Guard Rockefeller as New Church Opens

[By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, April 9 -- Polic precautions were taken today a the first services in the new Park Avenue Baptist Church to guare John D. Rockefeller, Jr., whose John D. Rockefeller, Jt., whose presence in the congregation, it was feared, might attract the criminally inclined. The edifice cost more than \$1,500,000, and will take the place of the Fifth Ave-nue Baptist Church, in which the Rockefellers have been worship-

feller is still in the South.

His son, who is leader of the
Bible class, said he was surprised at the bodyguard assigned to him not thinking it would be necessar; for the department to look afte him at church. All persons er tering the building were carefully scrutinized and the vigilance was continued until Mr. Rockefelle had finished his address to the Bible class and left for home with his wife and four of his children

COLLINS SEES CIVIL CONAN DOYLE TO Says Certain People Must Immedi-ately Change Their Tone

Creator of Sherlock Holmes Reaches New York on Lecture Tour.

"RAID" AMERICA

Proposes to Rout Skepticism From Church and Laity Alike in U. S.

NEW YORK, April 9 .- Sir Arthur istic Sherlock Holmes, but now a sin cere believer in things spiritual, ar rived here tonight to "raid" Amer

lean skeptielsm," he said, in explainng the purpose of his proposed lec-"I propose to raid church and laity alike." Stepping onto American shore: from the White Star liner Baltie, for he first time in seven years, the dis-

memory and reputation of the master detective still surround him, but asserted that he had been definitely and entiusiastically graduated from ma-terial to spiritual things. It is not that Sheriock was out of place or The proprietor poured the liquor in third-rate naval power, with little he had "learned the truth, and Sher-No one doubts that the potential sy- valuable as a friend, has no place in my life now."
But the atmosphere of materialism

was present as Sir Arthur, our delegates negotiated a treaty and his three children arrived. For that placed this country below Great the creator of Sherlock Holmes was and his three children arrived. For met at quarantine by a man equally famous in the world of detectives, William J. Burns, chief of the Bument of Justice. Mr. Burns said he went down the bay to greet the Eng-This report was signed by Repre- man who would have been a wonder-

Predicts Spiritual World. "Spiritualism today," said Str Ar York, Republicans, and Gallivan, thur, after he had greeted the Amer-Massachusetts, Democrat,

"The underlying principle on which in future the strength of our navy must be determined, is its strength weather than the strength of the strength

at our puny attempts to fathom the

"Spiritualism teaches a definite knowledge of the life after so-called death. It teaches us not to fear death and that the passing of heart-beats is merely a promotion.

"You see, a so-called dead man toes to a happier place. There is no erime, no sordidness and it is many nany times happier. You always have a difficult task of proving to on that plane that he, not you, s really dead.

"But suppose a man passes who has been something of an unsavory in-dividual here. Does he go to hell? (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2.)

VENIZELOS TO HURRY BACK TO GREECE

(By Associated Press.) CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 9,-Lieutherios Venizelos, former Premier of Greece, now traveling the cases of liquor in patrol wagons through the United States on a pleasure trip, has ahandoned his tieth Street police station. Officers plans for further sight-seeing and with drawn revolvers rode on each is hurrying northward to eatch the vehicle, after a rumor was apread first boat back to Greece, to become that bootleggers would attempt to Fremier once again, according to recover the contraband, treeks who talked with him here night, when his train stopped for ten minutes.

HIDDEN MINE KILLS 20 FRENCH SOLDIERS

1By Associated Press.]
KATTOWITZ, SILESIA, April 9—
More than twenty French soldiers
were killed and a dozen wounded
when, while searching for hidden
arms, a spade struck a detonating
mechanism of a hidden mine. The
explosion occurred in a cemetery between Gleiwitz and Sossnitna.
An examination showed that the 1 By Associated Press An examination showed that the mine had been planted under a store of arms. The explosion made a crater thirty feet in diameter and twelve feet deep.

Valenzuelo, of Key West, and shot himself dead, aboard the Peninsular and Occidental S. S. Cuba this morning. Just after the vessel had passed twelve feet deep.

Found Dead in Hotel. NEW YORK, April 9.-Albert E. oseph, 55, of Cincinnatti, was found dead in bed at the Lenox Hotel this

EASTER COUPBY IRISH REPUBLICAN RADICALS FEARED

PRICE, THREE CENTS.

Ominous Rumors of Outbreak Are Being Circulated Around Dublin.

OFFICIALS UNABLE TO TRACE THESE REPORTS

Free State Forces Are Being Put on Their Guard in

and Tactics. [By Associated Press.]

LONDON, April 9.—It was rumored be London and Dublin late last night Republican army in Dublin yesterlender of the Republicans, says the

The newspaper adds that what acsome confirmation of the rumor is Valera now has no governing part in

RUMORS OF EASTER COUP BY IRISH REPUBLICAN EXTREMISTS (By United News.)

DUBLIN, April 9 .- Ominous rumors that the Irish Republican extremists circulating here as Free State troops sporadic outbreaks which are harasthe slaving of one officer of the Royal Irish Constabulary.

Officials have been unable to trace hese rumors of the threatened ganized outbreak, but recalling the strong sentiment attached to the Eeaster season since the rebellion tinguished author admitted that the of 1916. Free State forces are being put on their guard throughout Ireland.

Sniping of sentries has become so erious that Free State forces organized an armored patrol and scoured the city and suburbs during the week-end. Warning was issued that lock Holmes, however interesting and drastic action would be taken against any one caught using arms against

Free State detachments on duty in entire district have been equipped with high-powered rifles in addition to the regulation revolvers. Guard details have been re-enforced.

Harbed wire barricades have been thrown around the entrances to Dublin Castle and offices of the provisional government are being strongly

SAYS ONLY MIRACLE CAN AVERT IRISH CIVIL WAR [By Associated Press.] DUBLIN, April 9.—In a speech de

livered at Wexford today, Michael Collins, head of the provisional government, declared that urless there was an immediate change in the tone and tactics of certain of the people "it looks as if civil war can only he averted by a miracle." Mr. Collins added that in such a

contingency there was little doubt (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2.)

BOOTLEGGERS' ROW RESULTS IN BIG HAUL

Y. Police Confiscate 36,000 Quarts When Rum-Runners Fight. [By Associated Press.] NEW YORK, April 9.—A bootleg-gers' quarrel in a West Side garage

in which several shots were fired, brought police reserves to the piace, where they confiscated 35,000 quarts of wine, whisky and brandy. Crowds, attracted by the raid, attempted to rush the garage when the quantity of the liquor became known. breaking windows and throwing the neighborhood into disorder until dispersed by police with drawn clubs.

KILLS YOUNG SAILOR: SHOOTS SELF DEAD

Dieetrician Aboard Stenmship Cuba Wounds Passenger in Mystery Tragedy.

[By Associated Press.] TAMPA, FLA. April 9.—Harvey Prevatt, an electrician, of St. Petersburg, shot and killed Stewart Austin of this city, a young sailor attached to the U. S. S. Benham, stationed at Key West, seriously wounded Amado Valenzuelo, of Key West, and shot himself dead, aboard the Peninsular ing, just after the vessel had passed Mullet Key at the mouth of Tampa Bay, en route to Port Tampa,

There were no eyewitnesses to the ragedy, save those connected with it as principal and victims.

Captain Wright, of the Cuba

were passengers,

greatest exhibition Wild West rider, way here from Cody, Neb.